November 20, 2008

To:

The Honorable Denise Ducheny, Chair Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Committee Joint Committee on Legislative Budget State Capitol, Room 5035 Sacramento, CA 95814

The Honorable Michael Machado, Chair Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Subcommittee #4 State Capitol, Room 2080 Sacramento, CA 95814

The Honorable John Laird, Chair Assembly Budget Committee State Capitol, Room 6026 Sacramento, CA 95814

The Honorable Juan Arambula, Chair Assembly Budget Subcommittee #4 State Capitol, Room 5135 Sacramento, CA 95814

Subject:

Budget Change Proposals and Spring Finance Letters

Enclosed is information regarding the California Public Employees' Retirement System's (CalPERS) 2008-09 Budget Change Proposals and Spring Finance Letter. These changes were included in the 2008 Budget Act and were formally recommended for approval by the Finance Committee at its November 17, 2008, meeting and approved by the Board of Administration at its November 19, 2008, meeting.

If you or your staff have any questions or concerns with this report, please contact me at (916) 795-3825, or ken_marzion@calpers.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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